## NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES.

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| I hereby certify that this correspondence is being submitted electronically via EFS Web on the date shown below.   | In re Application of<br>Lei Shao, et al.                            |                     |  |
| April 2, 2009  | Application Number 10/788,657                                       |                     | Filed 02/27/2004                                 |
| Signature /Michelle L. Evans/ Typed or printed name Michelle Evans   | FOR AN APPARATUS AND ASSOCIATED METHODS TO INTRODUCE DIVERSITY IN A |                     |  |
|  | Art Unit<br>2416  | 6 MURPHY, Rhonda L. |  |
| Applicant hereby <b>appeals</b> to the Board of Patent Apexaminer.   | peals and Interference  | es from             | the last decision of the                         |
| The fee for this Notice of Appeal is (37 CFR 1.17(b)   | )   |                     | <u>\$540.00</u>                                  |
| Applicant claims small entity status under 37 CFF shown above is reduced by half, and the resulting  |   | e fee               |  |
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| The Director has already been authorized to charge fees  | s in this application to a  | Deposit A           | Account.   |
| The Director is hereby authorized to charge any fe<br>overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2666.  | ees which may be rec  | uired, o            | r credit any                                     |
| Per MPEP 1204.01, any previously paid appeal fees set the new appeal in the same application as long as a fina accordance with MPEP, 1204.01, The Director is hereby any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 02-2666. | I Board decision has no   | t been m            | ade on the prior appeal. In                      |
| A petition for an extension of time under 37 CFR   | 1.136(a) (PTO/SB/22   | ) is encl           | osed.  |
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| applicant/inventor.  |   |                     | Signature  |
| assignee of record of the entire interest.  See 37 CFR 3.71. Statement under 37 CFR 3.73(b) is enclosed. (Form PTO/SB/96)  | P   |                     | fendonsa, Reg. No. 42,879<br>ped or printed name |
| attorney or agent of record.   |   |                     | 04/02/09   |
| attorney or agent acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  Registration number if acting under 37 CFR 1.34(a).  | _   |                     | Date   |
| NOTE: Signatures of all the inventors or assignees of record of the forms if more than one signature is required, see below.   | e entire interest or their rep                                      | resentative         | e(s) are required. Submit multiple               |
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